

Join your colleagues at the award winning

Environmental Management Institute

Presented by the
Missouri Department of Natural Resources'
Environmental Assistance Office

*"This workshop was one of the best organized and
best presented I have ever attended ..."*

Dr. James T. Crenshaw
City of Lathrop

What are the goals of EMI?

Simple:

1. Give you immediately useful information to solve environmental problems now, and
2. Give you materials for future decisions.

Topics we present and materials we give you are all aimed at satisfying these simple goals.

*"I learned a lot at EMI that is applicable to our city
and the challenges we face. The handouts were
great and will be shared with the mayor, council
members and staff. I appreciate the scholarship
that made it possible for me to attend."*

Linda Vorriss
City of Walnut Grove

Who attends EMI?

- Mayors, clerks, chairpersons, council and board members of cities, towns, villages, county commissions, and sewer and water districts;
- Administrators and managers from primarily medium and smaller cities, and towns, villages and sewer and water districts;
- Local government technical and funding assistance providers; and
- Individuals recently employed in public works or economic development and physical development positions.

"Great program – keep it up!"

Ed Thomas
Gravois Arm Sewer District

What does EMI cost; what do I get?

Registration is \$60 for the first person from a community or organization. Additional representatives from the same community attend for half price (\$30). The fee covers:

- Books, guides, handouts, software and other materials
- Lunches are provided both days
- Refreshments & snacks during breaks
- Certificate for full institute participants

If your community is strapped for training dollars to send you to EMI, that should not stop you. Missouri's Community Development Block Grant's Program believes in EMI so much that they offer a scholarship. Check into it before you decide you can't afford to attend. Call our office for details on the scholarships.

*"I think that the material covered is now and
will be in the future a very valuable asset to
myself as well as to the wellness of our
community."*

Verlon W. Persinger
City of Carrollton

Is EMI worth it?

Since 1998, nearly 750 of your colleagues have attended our EMI workshops. The vast majority of Institute attendees thought EMI was a very worthwhile investment of their time. The Council of State Governments named EMI a 1999 and 2000 semi-finalist for its nation-wide "Innovations Award." The Governor of Missouri was also impressed, awarding the EMI development team a 1999 Governor's Award for Quality and Productivity.

*"This was a good two-day training session.
I would highly recommend it to anyone."*

Cindy Sullivan
Howell County PWSD #3

At EMI we prepare you to make better environmental decisions so you can lead your community to better environmental performance. We want to help you solve environmental, economic development and other issues. And, we want to connect you to the vast assistance network that can help you through difficult times.

*"Great course overall ... instructors were
personable ...a relaxed, informal
atmosphere conducive to a productive
program ..."*

Linda Brazier
U.S. Army

Can I get training credit?

You may choose renewal training credit for one of these certificates:

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| Wastewater | 8 hours; |
| Drinking water | 7 hours; or |
| Water distribution | 7 hours. |

What topics does EMI cover?

- Planning
- Public meetings
- Sunshine Law
- Energy Issues*
- Solid waste/hazardous materials*
- Stormwater
- Wastewater
- Drinking water
- User charge analysis*
- Local Environmental Issues*

- Substantial new subject matter added this year!

“The topics of discussion involved issues I deal with on a daily basis. The presenters were very knowledgeable and exceptionally informed concerning what is happening on the local governmental level.”

Conn B. Roden

Franklin County Department of Health

Where is EMI held?

The Institute will be offered at the four locations listed in the box below. For more details, or to register, call the Environmental Assistance Office at (573) 526-6627 or 1-800-361-4827. You may also visit our Web site at www.dnr.state.mo.us/oac/lgov.htm

2003 EMI Schedule

Mexico April 9th & 10th

Lebanon May 21st & 22nd

Farmington September 17th & 18th

Chillicothe October 22nd & 23rd

Who are the trainers?

Most of the trainers are from the Missouri Department of Natural Resources' Environmental Assistance Office. Some come from other department programs, the Attorney General's Office and elsewhere.

“Don't fight forces, use them.”
R. Buckminster Fuller

There are serious issues you must lead your community through. And, there are powerful tools available to you as you do that. We, the developers of EMI, want to help you focus on those issues and find the power you need to solve them. Will you join us?

If you attended EMI in the past, consider attending again. And, be sure to recommend EMI and our other workshops to your colleagues.

“The workshops are a great networking opportunity...”

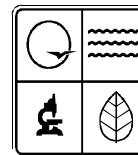
Elizabeth George
The Rensselaerville Institute

Register today for the workshop most convenient for you by contacting us in one of the ways below.

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